Attorney Docket No. 915.383 Application Serial No. 09/747,495

EXTENSION OF TERM

NOTE:	"Extension of Time in Patent Cases (Supplement Amendments) - If a timely and complete response has been filed a a Non-Final Office Action, an extension of time is not required to permit filing and/or entry of an additional amendm after expiration of the shortened statutory period.					
	If a timely response has been filed after a Final Office Action, an extension of time is required to permit filing and/or entry of a Notice of Appeal or filing and/or entry of an additional amendment after expiration of the shortened statutory period unless the timely-filed response placed the application in condition for allowance. Of course, if a					

Notice of Appeal has been filed within the shortened statutory period, the period has ceased to run." Notice of December 10, 1985 (1061 O.G. 34-35).

See 37 C.F.R. §1.645 for extensions of time in interference proceedings, and 37 C.F.R. §1.550(c) for extensions of NOTE: time in reexamination proceedings.

The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 3. §1.136 apply.

(complete (a) or (b), as applicable)

(a) Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 (fees: 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)(1)-(4)) for the total number of months checked below:

Extension (months)	Fee for other than small entity	Fee for small entity
one month	\$ 110.00	\$ 55.00
⊠ two months □ three months	\$ 420.00 \$ 950.00	\$210.00 \$475.00
☐ four months	\$1,480.00	\$740.00
	Fee: \$	420.00

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

(check and complete the next item, if applicable)

			An extension for paid therefor of \$_ total months of ext	months has already been secured. The fee is deducted from the total fee due for the ension now requested.
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				OR
	(b)		this conditional pet	that no extension of term is required. However, ition is being made to provide for the possibility nadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for

extension of time.

FEE FOR CLAIMS

4. The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. §1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

(Col. 1)			(Col. 2)		(Col. 3)	SMALL ENTITY	OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY	
CLAIMS RE		_	HIGHEST PREVIOUS PAID FOR	SLY	PRESENT EXTRA	ADDIT. RATE FEE <i>OR</i>	ADDIT. RATE FEE	
TOTAL:	52	MINUS	49	=	3	x \$ 9=\$	x \$18=\$ 54.00	
INDEP:	21	MINUS	13	=	8	x \$ 43 = \$	x \$86=\$ 688.00	
☐ FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM					CLAIM	+ \$145 = \$	+ \$290 = \$	
			_			TOTAL ADDL. FEE \$	TOTAL ADDL. FEE 742.00	

WARNING: "After final rejection or action (§1.113) amendments may be made canceling claims or complying with any requirement of form which has been made." 37 C.F.R. §1.116(a) (emphasis added).

(complete (c) or (d), as applicable) □ No additional fee for claims is required. (c) OR (d) ▼ Total additional fee for claims required is \$ 742.00 **FEE PAYMENT** X Attached is a check in the sum of \$ 1,162.00 Authorization is hereby made to charge the amount of \$ _____ to Deposit Account No. to credit card as shown on the attached credit card information authorization Form PTO-2038. **WARNING**: Credit card information should not be included on this form as it may become public. Charge any additional fees required by this paper or credit any overpayment in the manner authorized above.

A duplicate of this request is attached.

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FEE DEFICIENCY

NOTE:

If there is a fee deficiency and there is no authorization to charge an account, additional fees are necessary to cover the additional time consumed in making up the original deficiency. If the maximum six-month period has expired before the deficiency is noted and corrected, the application is held abandoned. In those instances where authorization to charge is included, processing delays are encountered in returning the papers to the PTO Finance Branch in order to apply these charges prior to action on the cases. Authorization to charge the deposit account for any fee deficiency should be checked. See the Notice of April 7, 1986 (1065 O.G. 31-33).

6. If any additional extension and/or fee is required, charge Account No. 23-0442

AND/OR

If any additional fee for claims is required, charge Account No. 23-0442.

Signature of Practitioner

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